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Applicant: XIAO-DONG XIANG, et al.  
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Title: ANALYTICAL SCANNING EVANESCENT MICROWAVE MICROSCOPE AND  
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### **SUPPLEMENTAL COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY**

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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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My residence, post office address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name. I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention described in

### SPECIFICATION IDENTIFICATION

- ☐ the specification filed herewith by the above-named inventors, with the title listed above.
- ☐ the specification filed herewith by the above-named inventors, with the title listed above, and which was amended by the Preliminary Amendment filed herewith.
- ☒ the specification identified above, as amended by the Preliminary Amendment filed herewith.
- ☐ the specification identified above, and which was amended on \_\_\_\_\_.
- ☐ PCT International Application No. \_\_\_\_\_ filed on \_\_\_\_\_, and amended under PCT Article 19 on \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable).

### ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF REVIEW OF PAPERS AND DUTY OF CANDOR

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56.

### PRIORITY CLAIM (35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d))

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119(a)-(d) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or under 35 U.S.C. § 365(b) of any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America listed below, and have also identified below any foreign application(s) or inventor's certificate or any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America filed by me on the same subject matter having a filing date before that of the application(s) of which priority is claimed.

- ☒ no such applications have been filed.
- ☐ such application have been filed as follows.

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COUNTRY (OR INDICATE IF PCT)	APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING DATE (day, month, year)	PRIORITY CLAIMED UNDER 37 U.S.C. § 119	
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**CLAIM FOR BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S. PROVISIONAL APPLICATION(S)  
(35 U.S.C. § 119(e))**

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 119(e) of any United States provisional applications (s) listed below:

PROVISIONAL APPLICATION SERIAL NUMBER      FILING DATE OF PROVISIONAL APPLICATION

<b>60/141,698</b>	<b>JUNE 30, 1999</b>
<b>60/059,471</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 22, 1997</b>

**CLAIM FOR BENEFIT OF EARLIER U.S./PCT APPLICATIONS  
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(complete this part only if this is a divisional, continuation, CIP or national stage of PCT)

I/We hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 120 of any United States application(s) or PCT international application(s) designating the United States of America that is/are listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in that/those prior application(s) in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, which occurred between the filing date of the prior application(s) and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

**PRIOR U.S. APPLICATIONS OR PCT INTERNATIONAL APPLICATIONS  
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**1. U.S. Applications:**

SERIAL NUMBER	FILING DATE
<b>09/158,037</b>	<b>22 SEPTEMBER 1998</b>
<b>08/717,321</b>	<b>13 OCTOBER 1998</b>

**2. PCT Applications Designating The U.S.**

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### POWER OF ATTORNEY

As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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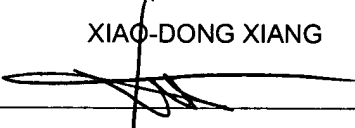
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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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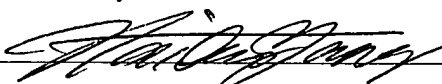
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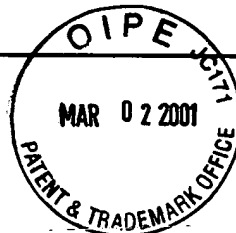
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I hereby certify that this **SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION (7 pages)**  
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